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BLUE.65209In Re Application Of: **Jacob De Baan****JAN 12 2004**Serial No.
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UnknownTitle: **FLUID TRANSFER INTERFACE**

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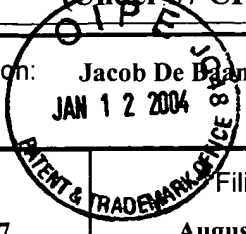
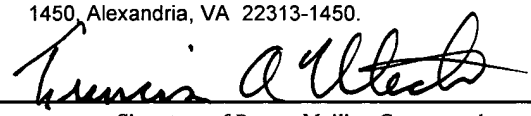
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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		4,220,177	09/02/1980	Gill			
		4,376,452	03/15/1983	Tax et al.			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

		United States Statutory Invention Registration, High Speed Oil Spill Response Lighter by Robert A. Levine; Reg. No. H1315, Published: June 7, 1997

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